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TOPIC Soviet Military Post Occupation between 20 and 22 July 1955 25X1

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1. The military posts at Baden, Hirtenberg, Moedling, Wiener Neudorf, Laxenburg, and Ebreichsdorf were occupied on 20 July 1955. Motor vehicles [redacted] 25X1 were observed in the Ebreichsdorf area.

The military post at Eisenstadt was partly occupied. Driving-school training 25X1 was carried out with approximately 15 motor vehicles, including trucks [redacted] with drivers wearing red-bordered black epaulets.

[redacted] trucks were carrying and unloading coal on the railroad station:

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[redacted] with drivers wearing black-bordered red epaulets.

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Tank trucks [redacted] were parked in front of the former Landesregierung. Tank trucks [redacted] entered the Jaeger Kaserne.

2. The military posts at Traiskirchen, Tribuswinkel, Berndorf, and Blumau were occupied on 21 July 1955. Motor vehicles, tank trucks, and fuel containers 25X1 were observed in previously not occupied quartering areas. The following vehicles were seen:

Tank Trucks

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[redacted] with drivers wearing red-bordered black epaulets.

and trailer [redacted]

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3. On 22 July 1955, the military posts at Kagran, Bruck on the Leitha, river, Goetzendorf, Kaisersteinbruch, Korneuburg, and Stockerau were occupied. Trucks [redacted] 25X1 were observed at the new parking lot for 25X1 motor vehicles and arms. Trucks [redacted] with drivers wearing red-bordered black epaulets, and van-like truck [redacted] were observed at 25X1 the Albrechts-Kaserne in Korneuburg. Trost-Kaserne in Vienna X was partly occupied. Garages in Pernerstorferstrasse were handed over to civilians. The military post at Langenzersdorf was evacuated and handed over to civilians. The military post at Klosterneuburg was partially occupied. Tents, hung for drying, were seen in the yard of the Pionier-Kaserne. These tents probably belonged to the camp in the Danube meadows and were dismantled 25X1 due to the swollen state of the river. The Pionier Museum was only guarded and truck [redacted] with driver wearing red-bordered black epaulets and truck 25X1

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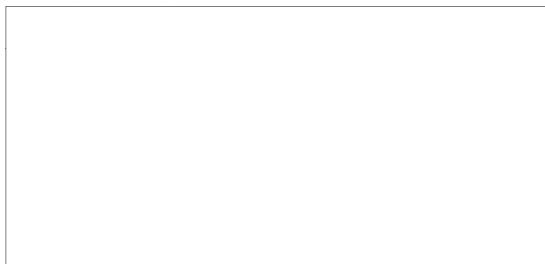
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[redacted] with driver wearing black-bordered red epaulets took coal from here 25X1 to the railroad station for shipment.
The former naval installations in Klosterneuburg were evacuated and partially handed over to civilian authorities.

[redacted] Comment. It appears that no essential changes were observed in the 25X1 occupation of the military posts.

It can be assumed that the following units were stationed at the troop training grounds at Doellersheim during the period under review:
Parts of the 284th Gds Mtz Rifle Regt of the 95th Gds Mtz Rifle Div in Eisenstadt, and parts of the Gds Mecz Regiments of the 13th Gds Mecz Div from Vienna and Klosterneuburg.

The engineer battalions of the two divisions were probably stationed at the engineer training grounds northeast of Melk. A motor-vehicle repairshop, probably belonging to the 23rd AA Div, was listed in Langenzersdorf, and was apparently evacuated.



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